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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 21, 2005, Applicants elect with traverse, Group I, wherein A is a benzene component, Claims 1-4.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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